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UNCLAS SANTO DOMINGO 006195

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ATTENTION: WHA/EX MARY MCBRIDE

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SUBJECT: WHA 2004 SUMMER INTERN PROGRAM

REF: A) SECSTATE 293941

SANTO DOMINGO IS INTERESTING IN PARTICIPATING IN THE WHA 2004 SUMMER INTERN PROGRAM. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION AS PER REFTTEL:

- 1-NUMBER OF INTERNS REQUESTED: TWO INTERNS
 - 2-LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT: SPANISH MIN 2+ 2+
 - 3-WHAT SECTION WILL THE INTERN WORK: ECOPOL AND HR/MANAGEMENT
 - 4-WHO WILL SUPERVISE THE INTERN: MICHAEL MEIGS, ECOPOL COUNSELOR (809) 731-4335, ROLAND G. ESTRADA, MANAGEMENT COUNSELOR (809) 731-4255.
 - 5-SPECIFIC DUTIES, PROJECTS INTERN WILL PERFORM: A) THE ECOPOL INTERN WILL COVER DUTIES NORMALLY ASSIGNED TO A SECOND TOUR OFFICER, INCLUDING POLITICAL AND/OR ECONOMIC SPOT REPORTING. B) THE HR/MANAGEMENT INTERN PERFORMS SPECIAL PROJECTS AND WILL ASSIST IN THE RETAIL PRICE (COLA) SURVEY.
 - 6- HOUSING: WILL BE PROVIDED. SINCE POST HOUSING IS CURRENTLY IN SHORT SUPPLY, IT MAY BE REQUIRED FOR INTERNS TO SHARE A TEMPORARY LEASED APARTMENT WALKING DISTANCE FROM EMBASSY.
 - 7- VISA REQUIREMENTS: THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC REQUIRES A VISA TO ENTER THE COUNTRY AND IT IS HIGHLY ENCOURAGE YOU TO OBTAIN VISAS BEFORE ARRIVAL. IF FOR SOME REASON YOU ARE UNABLE TO OBTAIN A VISA PRIOR TO TRAVEL, A TOURIST VISA CAN BE PURCHASED AT THE AIRPORT IN SANTO DOMINGO. THE COST IS USD 10.
 - 8-INNOCULATIONS REQUIRED: NONE (RECOMMENDED HEPATITIS A AND B)
 - 9-DEPOSITS REQUIRED: POST ENCOURAGES A DEPOSIT OF US\$300 FOR MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.
 - 10-SECURITY CLEARANCES: SECRET
- HERTELL